

Name: _____ Date: _____ Period: _____

Quadratic Equation

Standard Form: $y = ax^2 + bx + c$

Vertex Form: $y = (x - h)^2 + k$

1. $y = x^2$

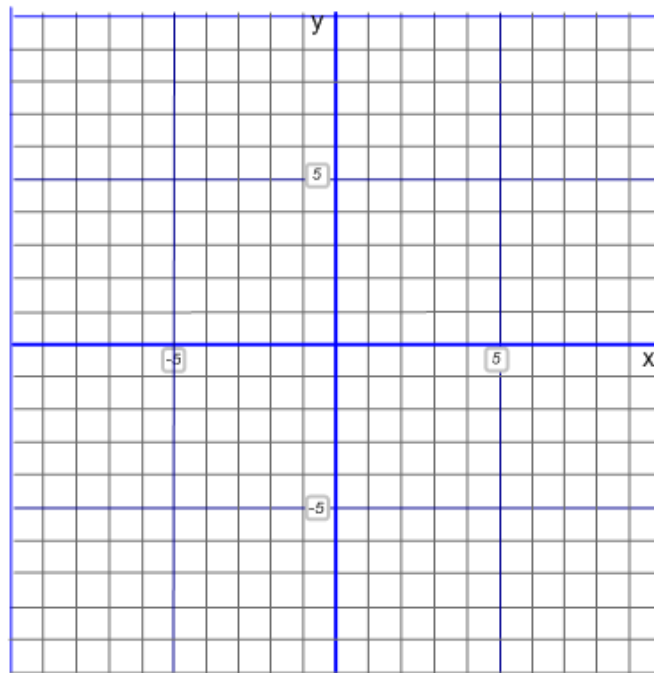
Standard Form: $a = 1, b = 0, c = 0$

Vertex Form: $h = 0, k = 0$

Create a table of values (**Fill in blanks**)

x	$y = x^2$	(x, y)
-2	$y = (-2)^2 = 4$	$(-2, 4)$
-1	$y = (-1)^2 = 1$	
0		
1		
2		

Plot the Points



2. $y = x^2 - 6$

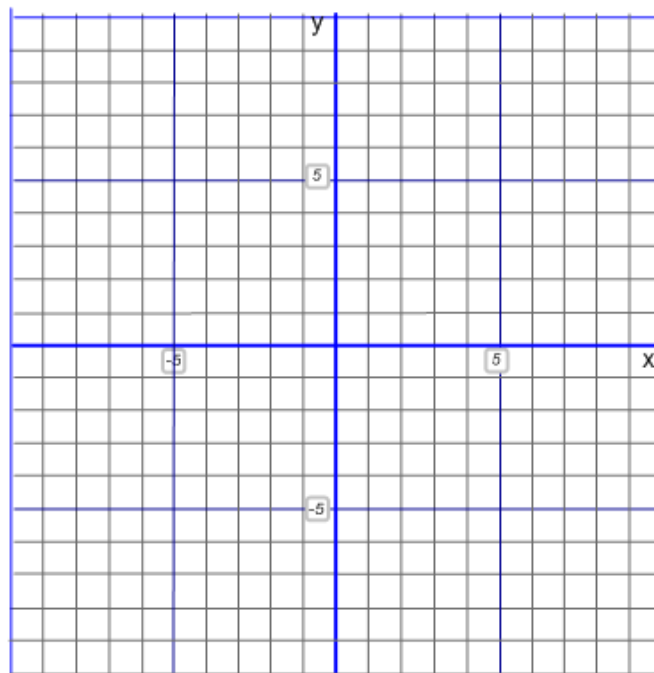
Standard Form: $a = 1, b = 0, c = -6$

Vertex Form: $h = 0, k = -6$

Create a table of values (**Fill in blanks**)

x	$y = x^2 - 6$	(x, y)
-2	$y = (-2)^2 - 6 = -2$	$(-2, -2)$
-1	$y = (-1)^2 - 6 = -5$	
0		
1		
2		

Plot the Points



Use the Graphing Calculator to Check the Graph and Table Values.

2. $y = x^2 + 3$

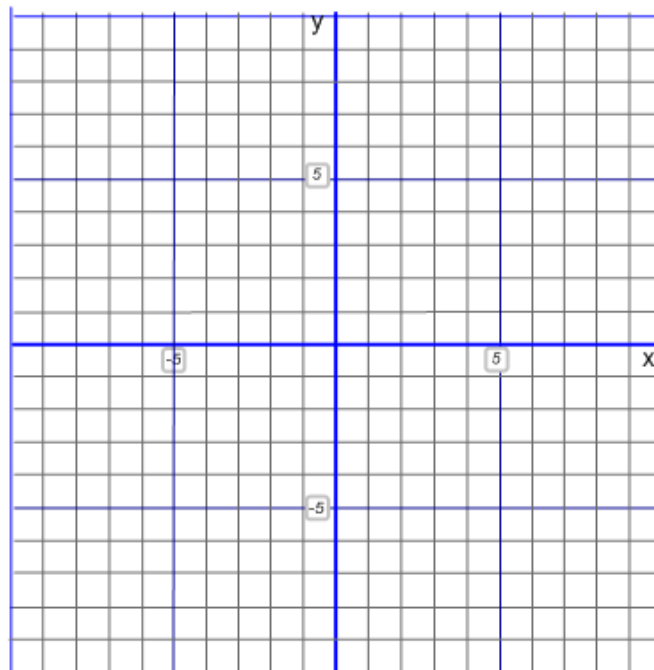
Standard Form: $a = 1, b = 0, c = 3$

Vertex Form: $h = 0, k = 3$

Create a table of values

x	$y = x^2 + 3$	(x, y)
-2	$y = (-2)^2 + 3 = 1$	$(-2, 1)$
-1		
0		
1		
2		

Plot the Points



2. $y = -x^2 + 3$

Standard Form: $a = -1, b = 0, c = 3$

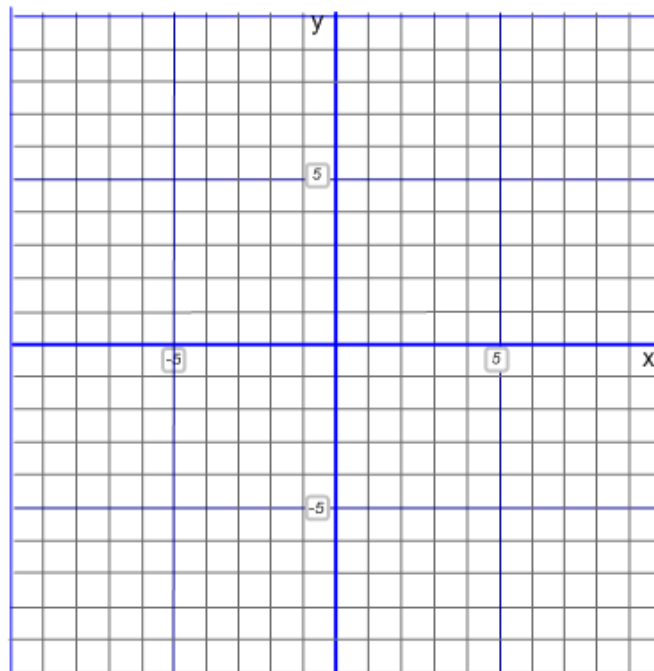
Vertex Form: $h = 0, k = 3$

$y = -(x - 0)^2 + 3$ Downward Facing Parabola

Create a table of values

x	$y = -x^2 + 3$	(x, y)
-2	$y = -(-2)^2 + 3 = -1$	$(-2, -1)$
-1		
0		
1		
2		

Plot the Points



Use the Graphing Calculator to Check the Graph and Table Values.